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Petersbourg, Sept. 2, O. S.

THE 30th paſt being St. Alexander's Day, the Czarina went to Church in the Morning with the Knights of that Order, and afterwards dined with them in Publick. In the Evening there was a Ball at Court, to which all the Foreign Miniſters were invited. M. Suhm, the Saxon Envoy, received ſome Days ago a Corier from his Court, to complain that Felt Marſhal Munich was actually in the Territories of Poland with the Ruſſian Army, and to deſire he ſhould be immediately order'd to retire. It is rumour'd that Felt Marſhal Lacy is returning from the Perecop, having entirely razed to the Ground the Line and all the Forts and Works of that Place. Laſt Thurſday General Keith arrived here from Pultowa, with his Brother, in order to conſult the Surgeons of this Place

Vienna, Sept. 27, N. S. By Letters from Semlin of the 19th Inſtant we have the following Particulars of the Proceedings of the Imperial Army. On the 16th a Council of War having been held to conſider the preſent Circumſtances of Affairs in thoſe Parts, it was determin'd that the Infantry ſhould enter Belgrade, and that the Cavalry ſhould paſs the Save. On the 17th the Cavalry with their Baggage paſſed the Save over two Bridges, and the Rear Guard, compoſed of four Regiments, commanded by General Romer, was about to follow them, when a Body of 3 or 4000 Turks attacked the Imperial Piquets, and having advanced pretty near to thoſe four Regiments, General Caraffa, with two of them, viz. Lanthieri and Hohenzollern, charged the Enemy, and put them to flight; all the Imperial Cavalry being come over the Save, encamped at Semlin. It was thought proper to ſend five Battallions from Belgrade to reinforce the Garriſon of Peterwaradin; the Fortifications of which Place were ſtrengthening with great Diligence.

(Price Two Pence.)

The Great Duke of Tuſcany left the Camp at Semlin on the 18th, and Count Konigſegg remains there Commander in Chief of the Imperialiſts: Prince Charles of Lorrain ſtays with him. When theſe Letters of the 19th came away, the Turks had not yet appeared in any conſiderable Number before Belgrade. A Council of War has been held there to examine into the Conduct of Count Cornberg, who commanded in Orſova when it ſurrendred, but he himſelf is ill of a high Fever. Yeſterday the Great Duke of Tuſcany returned to the Favorita, where he found the Emperor. The News of his Arrival being immediately brought to the Dutcheſs his Conſort, ſhe ſet out in a Coach from the Palace here for the Favorita, and on the Way met his Royal Highneſs, and came with him hither. His Royal Highneſs has had five Returns of his Fever ſince he went from hence on the 2d Inſtant, and appears to be now in a bad State of Health. He met on the Road the Earl of Crawford, who having left the Ruſſians under Felt Marſhal Munich, was poſting to the Imperial Army. Some of the General Officers of the Imperialiſts being ſick, Count Kevenhuller, Vice Preſident of the Council of War here, is to ſet out this Day or To-morrow for the Army.

Whitehall, September 1, 1738.

Whereas divers evil-diſpoſed Perſons have, for ſome time paſt, made a Practice of filing Guineas, and putting them off at the Bank, and other Places: His Majeſty, for the apprehending the Perſons concerned in filing Guineas as aforeſaid, is pleaſed to promiſe a Reward of One Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward allowed by Act of Parliament, upon Conviction of each of the Perſons concerned in the aboveſaid Practice. And whereas ſome of the Perſons concerned in filing of Guineas have been ſupplied with Engines for edging or milling the Guineas after they have been filed as aforeſaid, by one or more Perſons that have made the ſame for the Purpoſes aforeſaid; His Majeſty, for the apprehending any Perſon or Perſons concerned in the making or mending any Engine or Inſtrument made for the edging or milling any of the Gold Coin of this Kingdom, doth

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doth promiſe the like Reward, upon Conviction of each of the Perſons concerned in making or mending any Inſtrument made for the Purpoſes aforeſaid And whereas John Carter, Francis Kelham, David Roberts, and Joſeph Benſon, againſt whom Informations have been taken upon Oath, have, ſince the Diſcovery of theſe Facts, left their Habitations, and abſconded: His Majeſty is pleaſed to promiſe the like Reward for the apprehending each of them, upon their or either of their being convicted; and, as a further Encouragement, is pleaſed to promiſe his moſt gracious Pardon to any Perſon who ſhall diſcover his Accomplice or Accomplices in the ſaid Facts. HARRINGTON.

John Carter is a tall thin Man, of a pale Complexion, and is lame of one Foot which turns inwards; he is a Watch-Graver by Trade, formerly kept an Ale-houſe in Weſt-Smithfield, but lodged laſt at the Duke's Head in St. John's Square.

Francis Kelham, a little Man with a red Complexion, who lately kept the Roſe and Crown Ale-houſe in Bartholomew Cloſe, till he abſconded. They have both been frequently ſeen at Horſe Races, Gaming-Tables, Hazard, Cockfighting Matches.

David Roberts, by Trade a Carpenter, about 5 Foot 8 or 9 Inches high, of a fairiſh freſh Complexion, about 35 Years of Age, who kept the Coach and Horſes Inn in the City of Coventry about two Years ago, ſince lodged in Cold Bath Fields, London, afterwards at one Williams, a Ch[illegible]ler on Saffron Hill, afterwards moved and kept a Houſe in the Market-place, Hoxton, from thence moved to the Broad Sanctuary, Weſtminſter, from thence to the Mulberry Garden in St. George's Fields, Southwark, from thence to Wood's Cloſe near Clerkenwell; his laſt Habitation was near the Three Hats, Iſlington.

Joſeph Benſon, about 5 Foot 6 Inches high, between 60 and 70 Years old, ſtoops a little, wears a Wig, and his Hair pretty long under it, and is a thin ſpare Man, born near Naresborough in Yorkſhire, by Trade a Gunſmith, noted for making Croſs Bows, formerly lived in Dublin; his laſt Place of Habitation was at Cats-Hole in St. Catherine's, near the Tower. N. B. Joſeph Benſon is the Maker of the Engine lately found in the New River, and has made ſeveral Engines for milling the Guineas, and is reckoned by the Gunſmiths an ingenious Man at his Buſineſs. Whoever apprehends either of the ſaid Perſons, or any other Perſon concerned in theſe Practices, may apply themſelves to Mr. Aſhton, in Surry-ſtreet in the Strand, or to Mr. North, near Fiſhmongers-Hall, in Thames ſtreet.

General Poſt Office, London, Auguſt 27, 1738.

Whereas the Poſt-Boy carrying the North Mail from London, was ſet upon and robbed by a ſingle Perſon on Foot, this Morning between the Hours of Two and Three, on this Side Kingſland, near London: The Poſtmaſter General thinks proper to make it publickly known, That whoever ſhall apprehend the Perſon who committed this Robbery, will, upon Conviction, be entituled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, beſides the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery, ſhall make a Diſcovery of the Perſon who committed the Fact, ſuch Accomplice will be entitled to the ſaid Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, and alſo have his Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.

By Order of the Poſt-Maſter General,
John Jeſſe, Clerk.

The Perſon who committed this Robbery, is deſcribed to be a middle-ſiz'd Man, had on a light-colour'd cloſe bodied Coat, with cloſe Sleeves, and a full Bob Wig pretty light, with a Paper Mask over his Face. He carried off the five following Bags, viz. Hartford, Peterborough, Horncaſtle, Louth, and Boſton; and likewiſe took the greateſt Part of the Letters out of the Enfield, Ware, St. Ives, and Royſton Bags.

Note, There were two Men at a ſmall Diſtance from him, ſuppos'd to be his Accomplices.

General Poſt-Office, London, Sept. 13, 1738.

Whereas the Poſt-Boy, carrying the Briſtol Mail from London, was ſet upon and robbed by three Men on Horſeback, and one on Foot, about three of the Clock this Morning, between Knightsbridge and Kenſington, who carried off the Briſtol, Bath, Hereford, Leominſter, and Preſteign Bags.

The Poſtmaſter General thinks proper to make it publickly known, that whoever ſhall apprehend the Perſons who committed this Robbery, or any of them, will, upon Conviction, be entitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, beſides the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery ſhall make a Diſcovery of the Perſons (or any of them) who committed the Fact, ſuch Accomplice will be entitled to the ſaid Reward of two Hundred Pounds, and alſo have his Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.

By Order of the Poſtmaſter General
John Jeſſe, Clerk.

Pay Office, Sept. 21, 1738.

Theſe are to give Notice, That the Widows of the Commiſſion and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy, will be paid their Penſions and Bounty due to the 31ſt of Auguſt 1738, at the Pay Office in Broadſtreet, viz. The Captains, Lieutenants, and Maſters Widows on Tueſday the 10th of October, the Boatſwains and Gunners Widows on Wedneſday the 11th, and the Widows of the Carpenters, Purſers, Surgeons, and the reſt, on Thurſday the 12th, between the Hours of Ten and Two, and every Tueſday afterwards between the ſame Hours; and all the Widows who inhabit in London, or the Parts adjacent, are to take Notice, that the Penſion or Bounty will not be paid, unleſs they come themſelves in Perſon to receive it, or that their Attorney does bring a Certificate from the Miniſter or Church-Wardens of the Pariſh they belong to, ſhewing the Cauſe of their Inability.

Whitehall, Sept. 28, 1738.

Whereas two Anonymous Letters, directed to Mr. Thomas Gainsborough, in Sudbury in Suffolk, one dated London, March 1, 1737, and the other, London, September 3, 1738, were received by the ſaid Thomas Gainsborough, threatning him, his Son, and another Perſon with Death, unleſs he immediately complied with certain Conditions therein mentioned: His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon or Perſons concerned in writing and ſending the ſaid Letters, is pleaſed to promiſe his moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, that ſhall diſcover his Accomplice or Accomplices, ſo as they, or any of them, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

And as a further Encouragement to ſuch Diſcovery, I do hereby promiſe to pay the Sum of Thirty Pounds to any Perſon or Perſons who ſhall diſcover his Accomplice or Accomplices, ſo as he or they be convicted thereof.

John Gainsborough,
of Sudbury in Suffolk.

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Lead Office, Sept. 26, 1738.

The Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit-Coal and Sea-Coal do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the ſaid Corporation will be held at their Houſe in Ingram Court in Fenchurch-ſtreet, on Thurſday the 12th of October next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, being one of the half yearly Courts appointed by the By-Law for that Purpoſe.

Wm. Pardon, *Secr.*

Advertiſements.

TO be peremptorily ſold, together or in Parcels, purſuant to a Decree and a ſubſequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Anthony Allen, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Houſe in Curſitor's ſtreet in Chancery-lane, London, on Tueſday the 31ſt of October next, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve of the Clock in the Forenoon, an Eſtate at Iſlington, in the County of Middleſex, Part Freehold, Part Copyhold, and Part Leaſehold; of the yearly Value of 142 l. late the Eſtate of Walter Burton, Cowkeeper, deceaſed. An exact Particular whereof may now be had at the ſaid Maſter's Houſe

TO be ſold by Auction, at Dick's Coffee-houſe in Dublin, the 15th of November next, either in Whole or in Parcel, Sundry Eſtates of Iſaac M'Cartney, Eſq; late of Belfaſt, ſituated in the Counties of Downe and Ardmagh, in the Kingdom of Ireland. The Particulars whereof, together with the Title-deeds, to be ſeen in the Hands of Mr. Robert Donaldſon, Attorney in Dublin. Printed Rent-Rolls of theſe Eſtates are lodged with Meſſ Knox and Creghead, at their Houſe in Crosby-ſquare, Biſhopſgate ſtreet, London.

THE Creditors of John Farmer, late of St. James's Market, in the County of Middleſex, Grocer, againſt whom a Commiſſion of Bankrupt hath been awarded, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on Wedneſday the 11th of October next, at Five of the Clock in the Evening, at the Bank Coffee-houſe behind the Royal Exchange, London, on ſpecial Affairs.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Lord Chancellor, for enlarging the Time for Thomas Gale, of Bedford, in the County of Bedford, Draper, a Bankrupt, to make a full Diſcovery of his Eſtate and Effects, for Thirty five Days, to be computed from the 26th of this Inſtat: This is to give Notice, That the Commiſſioners intend to meet the 31ſt of October next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender, and make a full Diſcovery of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors may then prove their Debts, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt Chriſtopher Alliſon, late of the Town and County of the Town of Newcaſtle upon Tyne, Corn-merchant, and he being declar'd a Bankrupt, is hereby requir'd to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners on the 19th and 31ſt of October next, and on the 11th of November following, at Two in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Edward Horſley, Butcher, at the Weſt Gate in the County of Northumberland, and near the Town of Newcaſtle upon Tyne, and known by the Sign of the Crown, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Joſhua Douglas, Attorney, in Newcaſtle upon Tyne.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt Robert Riddell, of Exchange Alley, London, Vintner, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners on the 10th and 17th of October next, and on the 11th of November following, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the firſt Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Henſhaw, Attorney, at Cooks Hall in Alderſgate-ſtreet, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt Francis Briſſart, of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners on the 10th and 17th of October next, and on the 11th of November following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Heaton, Attorney, in Sherbourn Lane, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt John Babbage otherwiſe Babbedge, of Hatherly in the County of Devon, Shopkeeper, Grocer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners on the 14th and 16th of October next, and on the 11th of November following at Two in the Afternoon, at Atkey's Coffee-houſe in the Serge Market of the City of Exon, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the firſt Sitting to chuſe an Aſſignee or Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Williams in Exon.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt John Whetten, late of the Pariſh of St. Giles in the Fields, in the County of Middleſex, Bricklayer, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid John Whetten hath in all things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, his ſaid Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 20th of October next.

THE under-mentioned Perſons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately paſſed for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inſerted in this Paper, and are herein inſerted in Obedience to the ſaid Act.

The following Perſon being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on the firſt Day of January 1736, and having ſurrendred himſelf into Cuſtody of the Keeper of the County Goal of Cardigan, gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held for the ſaid County or at the Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Chriſtmas Thomas, late of the pariſh of Brongwyn in the county of Cardigan, Chapman.

The following Perſon being a Priſoner for Debt in the County Goal of Cumberland, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at Penrith in and for the ſaid County, or at the Adjournment that ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Myles Brockbank, late of Lady Hall, in the Pariſh of Millow, in the County of Cumberland, Husbandman.

N. B. If any Perſon in the foregoing Liſt of Priſoners ſhall find on the Peruſal of this Gazette that there is any Error, ſuch Error ſhall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.

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